

Agency: Commerce, Community and Economic Development**Grants to Named Recipients (AS 37.05.316)****Grant Recipient: Community of Elfin Cove Non-Profit Corporation****Federal Tax ID:****Project Title:****Project Type:** Planning and Research

Community of Elfin Cove Non-Profit Corporation - Sanitation Facility Planning

State Funding Requested: \$75,000**House District: 2 / A**

Future Funding May Be Requested

Brief Project Description:

Funding to study and identify community drinking water source for DEC compliance and community health.

Funding Plan:**Total Cost of Project: \$75,000***There is no other funding needed***Detailed Project Description and Justification:**

Funding will assist Elfin Cove in determining the effect of surface water on the community's drinking water supply, as required by the Department of Environmental Conservation. Elfin Cove uses untreated water from an underground spring for its municipal water supply. DEC has requested the community to provide data to determine whether the spring is under the direct influence of surface water, and meet all standards of 18 AAC 80.

The project will update a 1978 VSW study analyzing the community need. The Study will detail the capital and operation and maintenance costs for the alternatives for reaching regulatory compliance. The study will also identify changes in operational practice or infrastructure needed to provide safe water, wastewater disposal, and meet other applicable standards. The study will provide residents with the information needed to select a preferred alternative, and seek a means for design and construction.

The project is important for DEC compliance and to ensure the health of the community.

Project Timeline:

FY 2011

Entity Responsible for the Ongoing Operation and Maintenance of this Project:

Community of Elfin Cove Non-Profit Corporation

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Has this project been through a public review process at the local level and is it a community priority? ☒ Yes ☐ No